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SUBJECT: ARAB BOYCOTT MEETING

1. EGYPTIAN GAZETTE CARRIED STORY 15 JUNE THAT ARAB BOYCOTT OF ISRAEL COMMISSION REMOVED NAMES OF 28 FIRMS FROM BLACKLIST DURING SESSION OF MONDAY, 13 JUNE. STORY QUOTES COMMISSIONER GENERAL MAHGOUB AS SAYING THESE ARE "INTERNATIONAL FIRMS OF VARIOUS NATIONALITIES", BUT HE DID NOT GIVE THEIR NAMES OR COUNTRIES.

2. HOWEVER, MAHGOUB DID APPARENTLY PROMISE TO DO SO AT FINAL SESSION OF CURRENT CONFERENCE WHICH NEWSPAPER SAYS IS SCHEDULED FOR 20 JUNE. HE SAID HE WOULD DO THIS "IN ORDER TO SHOW AMERICAN LEGISLATORS THAT THERE ARE MANY US FIRMS WHO DEFY AMERICAN LAW IN FAVOR OF THEIR FINANCIAL INTERESTS IN THE ARAB WORLD."

3. STORY WAS APPARENTLY A GAZETTE EXCLUSIVE, SINCE NOTHING OF THIS APPEARED IN ARABIC OR FRENCH PRESS.
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